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For: DEVICE COMPRISING AN ELECTRICAL CIRCUIT CARRIED BY A CARRIER
ELEMENT AND METHOD FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF SUCH A DEVICE

Date: April 16, 2004

Fee Only

PETITION FOR REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.26 OF
APPEAL FEE AND WITHDRAWAL OF NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit this Request for Refund of Fees pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.26 in the amount of \$330.00. On September 26, 2003, the USPTO issued a Final Official Action in the above-referenced matter. Applicants responded by filing an Amendment After Final on November 12, 2003 within the two month due date for response. However, no Advisory Action was issued. Therefore, on February 25, 2004 Applicants filed a Notice of Appeal (copy enclosed) to avoid abandonment. On April 7, 2004 the USPTO then issued a new Official Action. Applicants submit that the new Official Action was not issued until after the six month date from the Final Official Action, which was March 26, 2004. Therefore, Applicants wish to withdraw their Notice of Appeal and request a full refund of \$330.00. Please credit our Deposit Account No. 50-0220 in the amount of \$330.00 to refund this overpayment of fees and withdraw the Notice of Appeal.

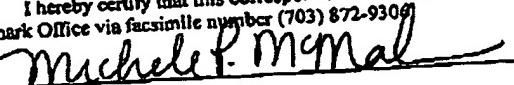
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